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Clinical Challenges in Labor and Delivery

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The Scientific Committee invites clinicians and scientists who are interested in sharing their work with the participants of the meeting to submit their work in abstract form. Details available on the meeting website www.birth2016china.org. Abstracts accepted for presentation will be displayed ONLY in poster format.

Changes in abstracts cannot be made after submission. Please verify that each field in the abstract form has been completed and follow the instructions outlined on the website.

Deadline for abstract submission: February 1st, 2016
SESSION 1: THE DIAGNOSIS OF LABOR AND LABOR DISORDERS
Chairpersons: Gian Carlo Di Renzo (Italy), Roberto Romero (USA)

8.00 am EVALUATION OF PROGRESS IN LABOUR: THE PARTOGRAM AND ITS EVOLUTION
Roberto Romero (Detroit, MI, USA)

8.25 am THE SONO PARTOGRAM
Christoph Lees (Cambridge, UK)

8.45 am DIAGNOSIS, CLINICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF A PROLONGED LATENT PHASE OF LABOR
TBA

9.05 am WHEN DOES THE ACTIVE PHASE OF LABOUR BEGIN - AND DO WE REALLY KNOW WHEN IT ENDS?
Dan Farine (Toronto, Canada)

9.25 am THE “ACTIVE MANAGEMENT OF LABOR”
Michael Robson (Dublin, Ireland)

9.45 am Discussion

10.00 am COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER VIEWING
FRIDAY, APRIL 8th

SESSION 2: HOW TO MONITOR LABOR
Chairpersons: TBA

10.30 am HOW LONG SHOULD THE SECOND STAGE OF LABOR LAST?
Jon Barrett (Toronto, Canada)

10.50 am ULTRASOUND IN LABOUR: PARAMETERS TO DIAGNOSE AND PREDICT DYSTOCIA AND FETAL MALPOSITIONS
Karim Kalache (Doha, Qatar)

11.20 am THE ODON DEVICE TO ASSIST VAGINAL DELIVERY
Gian Carlo Di Renzo (Perugia, Italy) - Jorge Odon (Buenos Aires, Argentina)

11.40 am SHOULDER DYSTOCIA: MECHANISMS OF INJURY AND MANAGEMENT
Edith Gurewitsch (Baltimore, MD, USA)

12.10 pm EPISIOTOMY: WHEN, HOW, WHICH RISKS AND RESULTS?
Peter Brocklehurst (London, UK)

12.30 pm Discussion

13.00 pm LUNCH BREAK
SESSION 3: ASSESSMENT OF INTRAPARTUM FETAL WELL-BEING
Chairpersons: TBA

2.00 pm  SHOULDN'T AN ADMISSION NST/CTG BE PERFORMED ON ALL PATIENTS?
Dan Farine (Toronto, Canada)

2.20 pm  FETAL HEART RATE ABNORMALITIES: THE FIGO RECOMMENDATIONS
Diogo Ayres De Campos (Porto, Portugal)

2.40 pm  UMBILICAL CORD pH AND GASES, LACTATE IN UMBILICAL CORD AND AMNIOTIC FLUID: NORMAL VALUES AND INTERPRETATION OF RESULTS
Edwin Chandracharan (London, UK)

3.00 pm  DOES ELECTRONIC FETAL MONITORING REDUCE PERINATAL OR INFANT MORTALITY?
Gerard H.A. Visser (Utrecht, The Netherlands)

3.30 pm  Discussion

4.00 pm  COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER VIEWING

SESSION 4: CHILDBIRTH INDUCED PELVIC FLOOR INJURIES
Chairpersons: TBA

4.30 pm  A SCORE TO PREDICT PELVIC FLOOR INJURIES AFTER VAGINAL DELIVERY
Jim Dornan (Belfast, Northern Ireland)

5.00 pm  ULTRASOUND IMAGING OF THE PELVIC FLOOR AND ITS CLINICAL IMPORTANCE
Hans Peter Dietz (Sydney, Australia)

5.30 pm  Discussion
FRIDAY, APRIL 8th

Opening & WELCOME RECEPTION

6.00 pm  OPENING REMARKS
          KEY NOTE ADDRESS
          HISTORY OF ASSISTANCE TO LABOUR AND DELIVERY: THE EVOLUTION OF THE MAN
          Donatella Lippi  (Florence, Italy)

7.00 pm - 9.00 pm
SESSION 5: PRETERM BIRTH: DIAGNOSIS AND PREVENTION

Chairpersons: TBA

8.00 am  EPIDEMIOLOGY AND RISK FACTORS
J.L. Simpson (New York, USA)

8.30 am  BLUEPRINT FOR THE PREVENTION OF PRETERM BIRTH
Roberto Romero (Detroit, MI, USA)

9.00 am  THE UTERINE CERVIX AND THE PROGESTERONE
Sonia Hassan (Detroit, USA)

9.20 am  CERCLAGE vs PROGESTOGENS TO PREVENT PRETERM DELIVERY
Eduardo Borges da Fonseca (Joao Pessoa, Brazil)

9.50 am  A CERVICAL PESSARY TO PREVENT PRETERM BIRTH IN SINGLETONS AND TWINS
Luis Cabero Roura (Barcelona, Spain)

10.10 am  Discussion

10.30 am  COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER VIEWING
SESSION 6: PRETERM LABOR: MANAGEMENT

10.50 am  TOCOLYSIS AND REPEATED STEROIDS: A CRITICAL APPRAISAL  
Gerard H.A. Visser (Utrecht, The Netherlands)

11.10 am  HOW AND WHERE TO DELIVER A PRETERM FETUS?  
Corinne Hubinont (Brussels, Belgium)

11.30 am  MAGNESIUM SULPHATE FOR NEUROPROTECTION  
Shila Nambyar (Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia)

11.50 am  TAURINE TO IMPROVE FETAL BRAIN FUNCTION IN IUGR AND PRETERM  
Liujing (Beijing, China)

12.10 pm  Discussion

12.30 pm  LUNCH BREAK
SESSION 7: CESAREAN DELIVERY: A CONTEMPORARY DILEMMA

Chairpersons: TBA

1.30 pm  STRATEGIES TO REDUCE CESAREAN DELIVERIES
          Michael Robson (Dublin, Ireland)

1.55 pm   ABNORMALITIES OF PLACENTATION (ACCRETA, PERCRETA, INCRETA) REQUIRING CESAREAN DELIVERY
          Corinne Hubinont (Brussels, Belgium)

2.15 pm   AN EVIDENCE-BASED APPROACH TO CESAREAN DELIVERY (PERITONEUM, UTERINE CLOSURE, BLADDER FLAP AND SKIN CLOSURE)
          TBA

2.40 pm   PREVENTION OF POST PARTUM HEMORRHAGE DURING CESAREAN DELIVERY
          Jose Palacios de Jaraquemada (Buenos Aires, Argentina)

3.10 pm   THE USE OF BALLOON TAMponade: INDICATIONS AND PITFALLS
          Iakov Zhukovsky (Moscow, Russia); Gian Carlo Di Renzo (Perugia Italy)

3.30 pm   CESAREAN HYSTERECTOMY
          C.N. Purandare (Mumbay, India)

3.50 pm   DELIVERY IN THE MORBID OBESE PATIENT
          Dan Farine (Toronto, Canada)

4.10 pm   Discussion

4.30 pm   CLOSING REMARKS
          Roberto Romero (Detroit, MI, USA); Gian Carlo Di Renzo (Perugia Italy); Huixa Yang
PARALLEL SESSION FOR MIDWIVES AND LABOR AND DELIVERY NURSES: “CARE OF THE MOTHER IN LABOUR”

Chairpersons: TBA

10.40 am  BIRTH IN CHINA

11.00 am  DOULA AND FAMILY SUPPORT FOR LABOR AND DELIVERY

11.15 am  ACUPUNCTURE FOR LABOUR INDUCTION

11.30 am  ALTERNATIVES TO EPIDURAL TO PERIDURAL ANESTHESIA: NON PHARMACOLOGICAL METHODS FOR PAIN RELIEF

11.45 am  THE ORGANIZATION AND STAFFING OF A “BIRTHING CENTRE”

12.00 pm  POST-PARTUM MONITORING OF THE PERINEUM AND EXCERCISES TO STRENGTHEN THE PELVIC FLOOR

12.15 pm  PROMOTING BREASTFEEDING

12.30 pm  Discussion
DATES AND VENUE
April 7th - 9th, 2016

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